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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This paper is responsive to the current office action.

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- In the Claims: please amend claims 1, 5 and 18, and cancel claim 22, as presented beginning on next 2.

Claims 1-3, 5-7, 9 and 12-21 and 23-24 remain pending and under examination in the application.